



Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Selectmen

Date: Monday, May 18, 2015
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Place: McCourt Social Hall, Memorial Town Hall, Spencer, MA
Present: Chairman Pepe, Vice Chair Fritze, Members G. Woodbury, Stevens & C. Woodbury, and Administrator Gaudette.

Chairman Pepe opened the meeting at 6:05 pm.

Surprise Congratulations for Mr. Gaudette

Chairman Pepe announced that it was a pleasure to recognize Mr. Gaudette who graduated with his Masters Degree in Public Administration from Clark University this past Sunday. Mr. Pepe congratulated him on being inducted into the Alpha Epsilon Lambda honor society and the Alpha Omicron chapter, which honors the top 10% of students. He was presented with a certificate of congratulations. State Representative Berthiaume and several municipal department managers were present to congratulate him as well.

Mr. Gaudette said he was not expecting this, though he appreciated the recognition and thanked all for taking the time to come out to congratulate him.

Town Administrator Evaluation

Chairman Pepe reported that after averaging the performance evaluations he received from each Board Member, Administrator Gaudette's overall evaluation was a 3.6 on a 0 to 4 rating scale. Mr. Pepe said the Board is fortunate to have Mr. Gaudette managing the Town, noting he is well respected by all; the rest of the Board agreed.

Mr. Gaudette thanked the Board and said he appreciates the scores and especially the comments. He is always looking for feedback and ways to improve. He pointed out he is in the last year of his employment contract with the Town and asked the Board to begin the process for the next contract period. Mr. Pepe agreed to include the discussion on the next agenda.

Representative Berthiaume congratulated the Administrator and agreed the Town is fortunate to have him on board.

Representative Berthiaume mentioned that he recently attended a meeting to discuss road repairs for Route 31. The DOT estimates the cost to repair at \$3.5 million. The preference is to obtain funding from the State and have the Town authorized to complete the work.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:44 pm. All were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Savoie
Administrative Assistant

Referenced Documents

Administrator Evaluation